Mayor Report June 8, 2021

- 1. Attended teleconferences with the Governor regarding COVID 19 and the public health crisis. These meetings continue to be very informative and provided information for municipalities to make informed thoughtful decisions. Information that was received was passed along to Town Council members.
- 2. Attended the ACT meeting on June 3rd. A presentation was given by US Wind on the proposed wind farm off the coast of Ocean City. It is proposed to have the first turbines operational by 2024. Electricity will make land fall somewhere in Delaware due to better capacity than sub stations in Worcester County Maryland. No decision has been made on where the landfall will be but it appears it will be between Indian River and Milford. US Wind stated all lines will be underground most likely using Del Dot right-of-ways. Also had a report from the ACT lobbyist on the Delaware State Legislative session.
- 3. Working with the Treasurer, Finance Director and Town Manager on Town Finance analyses and receipt of funds from the American Rescue Plan (ARP). Attending a Webinar on June 10th to gain further understanding of possible use of funds.